

The vigilance of members of the local unit is the present director of the league in the interest of the saurians in this area have been killed this summer, apparently by persons in ignorance of the law, he said. League units in Palm Beach County have been instrumental in bringing to trial 36 violators of game laws during the summer with 100 convictions, according to the speaker.

D. D. Caudill, new principal of Pahokee schools, gave a brief talk on the importance of cooperation to both the school children and their parents for the cooperation and fine spirit they have shown in helping him get adjusted to the new school.

President L. H. Shirley presided at the meeting.

First citrus shipments of the new season left the packing house of John Snively, Winter Haven, Polk county, last week.

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SUGGESTS BROWARD COUNTY PARK BE NAMED FOR BROOKS BATEMAN

Brooks Bateman, member of the state road department, has gone about his business in his unassuming manner since his appointment and accomplished many things in the way of road building for his district. Recognizing the fact that he has done his duty in its daily round, that a park to be built in that city be named in his honor, as the Broward county newspaper puts it—"a fitting memorial to a friend." This newspaper believes it speaks for this entire community—the home of Mr. Bateman—when it says it is proud to know that a busy metropolitan on the lower east coast has paused long enough in its daily round of activities to take cognizance of the fact that it is fitting to pass out "flowers to the living." We sincerely hope the Broward park will be named in honor of Mr. Bateman. It's an honor well deserved.

IS ISN'T FINANCES BUT STUDENTS WE NEED TO CARRY ON THE SCHOOL BAND

A year or so ago we needed finances to organize a Pahokee school band. A concerted drive was made by civil groups and the money was forthcoming. The band was started. It did fairly well during the season—considering the fact that it had to be started from scratch.

Today we don't need finances. We need enough students who will take a serious interest in the band to make it a complete success. Along with the students we need the co-operation of the parents to see that the band is properly maintained, actually accomplish something after they enter the band.

The band must be given its rightful place in the community. When it becomes a full-fledged musical organization it will be something to make everyone proud. It is struggling today in the economic stage but a determined band committee of the opinion that this community can and will produce enough students to make the band a success.

It isn't finance we need. We need enough students with enough vitality to stand it out until they can learn to blow a horn.

PAHOKEE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE GETS AWAY TO GOOD START ON PROGRAM

A special meeting of the Pahokee Chamber of Commerce was held Monday night in the Legion hall with the newly elected president, George Mead, presiding. Mr. Mead, in his first speech since election, made it perfectly clear to the members that he expects their wholehearted co-operation in making the organization a success. This co-operation was pledged by the membership and must necessarily be forthcoming in the future if the chamber is to be secure.

"We expect to work for those things which will be beneficial to our community," Mr. Mead said among other remarks during his speech. But, in that one sentence he summed it up all succinctly and laid before the body a program worthy of accomplishment. If the newly organized chamber of commerce sets its goal to accomplish "those things which are beneficial to the community"—and reaches that goal, it will have rendered an outstanding service.

There is one thing for members of the body to bear in mind during the months to come. That is: A chamber of commerce cannot succeed unless those whose names are on the membership roll do their bit toward making it a success. It is the duty of every man, whose name appears on the roll, to put his shoulder to the wheel, give financial and moral support to an organization which in future years will render a useful and worthy service to the community it serves.

AVON PARK PUBLISHER IS ARDENT SUPPORTER OF VICE PRESIDENT GARNER

The Avon Park Times published in that Highlands city by William C. Beckett is an ardent supporter of John Nance Garner for president in 1940. For many months Editor Beckett has been carrying on a large display line across the front page of his newspaper suggesting that the wily Texan be elected president in 1940. Should Uvalde's most prominent citizen become president of these great United States Mr. Beckett will necessarily have to be listed as one of Mr. Garner's very first supporters.

"PUT THE POLITICIANS OUT AND PUT ME IN" IS COE'S CHIEF PLANK SAYS FORT MYERS NEWSPAPER

The Southwest Floridian, published in Fort Myers, Fla., had more to say last week about the candidacy of Charles Francis Coe of Palm Beach for the United States Senate. The West Coast newspaper offered some reasons for its preference of Senator Charles O. Andrews over Mr. Coe and concluded by saying "the man may announce that we will favor Senator Andrews, but it is not Charles Francis Coe of Palm Beach." The editorial from the Floridian follows:

Charles Francis Coe, of Palm Beach says, in his broadcast asking for support in his campaign for the seat in the United States Senate now held very capably by Senator Charles O. Andrews, that while in France standing on soil hallowed by the heroic deed of our homeland, he and Mrs. Coe decided that he should run for the job as senator. That sounds just like an effort to arouse the enthusiasm of the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars, but we doubt if it will prove successful effort. As the Southwest Floridian sees it there is nothing in Mr. Coe's five page broadcast that really shows he has any knowledge of the American needs of today. Rather, it shows that he only thinks that some one who has never been in politics should kick the politicians out.

He says he favors division of power, that is Freedom, while concentration of power is Dictatorship. Everyone who has studied American history should know that and also should know that the present administration in Washington led by the President, has been making a great fight for freedom for all the people for the past six and a half years, and will undoubtedly proceed along the same course for the next year and a half, yet Mr. Coe says the greatest objection he has to the New Deal is the politicians who run it.

He declares for some things that we favor, but his chief plank seems to be "put the politicians out and put me in." We do not see that there can be any good result from the exchange of Senator Andrews for this man from Palm Beach, who really has no definite policy and in lieu therefore hands out just a lot of generalities. This aid and age requires that every public official shall have a definite policy, not a collection of platitudes, phrases with little or nothing definite about them. Some man may announce that we would favor over Senator Andrews, but it is not Charles Francis Coe, of Palm Beach.

UNCERTAINTY WILL HOLD BACK GREAT PROGRAM OF EXPANSION

The Clewiston News, published in the town in which is located the huge sugar mill of the United States Sugar corporation has the following to say about the quota lifting of last week:

Every resident of the Everglades was jubilant when word was received Monday night that President Roosevelt had lifted the quota on sugar production for they quickly realized that this proclamation would prevent the plowing up of hundreds of acres of growing cane this season and a consequent curtailment of the length of the season.

The sugar industry has expanded until it plays a vital part in the lives of almost every person in the Everglades. The payroll of the sugar corporation is the largest in many of the communities and among the largest in all of them. Small wonder that each owner of a sugar house when restrictions were removed, anticipating a great expansion in the industry which would mean jobs and prosperity for everyone.

But, aside from the increased production this year, it is a little early to get too enthusiastic. The President has said that if there is an over-supply of sugar that the quotas will again be imposed and the effect of that statement is far-reaching.

Fourteen months on an average is required to produce a crop of cane. The construction of a sugar house would require from eighteen months to two years to complete. And who knows that in the course of that two years the quotas will not be imposed again? The present sugar house will be running almost to full capacity to grind this year's crop of cane which would make the construction of another mill imperative if there were to be very much of an expansion.

The President's proclamation is a great help and goes favorably to the Everglades growers. But the quotas are removed for good so that processors may know what the future holds will a great program of expansion be possible.

DOUBLY THANKFUL

The Fort Myers News-Press edited on the West Coast by Carl Hanton believes that: "Maybe Governor Cote was wise, after all, in proclaiming a second Thanksgiving day for Florida. This year we can be doubly thankful we're Americans."

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

By Russell Kay.

From the long silence line of Colonel Lindbergh last week came a calm, studied, earnest appeal to Americans. An appeal for unity, tolerance and understanding, balance, thought and action with regard to both world affairs and a national program.

It was a clear cut message that every American should heed and take to heart. We live in an hour when thoughtless words and unguarded action may easily involve us in destructive entanglements and plunge with other nations into the seething caldron of hate so rampant in Europe today.

The desire to stay out of war is in the heart of every boy, right thinking American and the only basis on which this nation might secure peace and safety is in the actual repelling of an attack upon our shores, and protected as we are by the vast expanse of two great oceans to the east and west and friendly understanding neighbors to the north and south, the probability of an attack seems far remote.

The prestige, wealth and power of the United States makes us a natural target for the propaganda of every nation at war, and no stone will be left unturned to bring pressure upon us with the hope of bringing us in on the side of this or that warring faction.

Every effort is being made to arouse our sympathy, stir our emotions, and break down our desire to remain unbiased, neutral and tolerant in our reactions to the present crisis.

If we as individuals or as a nation permit ourselves to be swayed one way or the other by such propaganda, sooner or later we will be involved in the war just as we were in the first world war.

You or I may feel that we as individuals are without influence as far as our national and international policies are concerned, yet that is a mistake, for YOU and I and countless others like us are AMERICA. All that the IS and HAS and DOES is governed by YOU and ME.

When I permit ourselves as individuals to be swayed by propaganda, when we take sides and give voice publicly to our feelings, we speak as Americans and for America.

The only hope of any warring nation has of influencing us as a nation is based on its ability to influence us first as individuals and that is something that every loyal citizen should keep in mind at this time.

Regardless of what our own feelings or sympathies may be, this is a poor time to give them vent. We must have word or action. We can best serve the cause of Peace, not only here at home but internationally, by guarding our tongue and invoking our reason.

Remember that America, yours and mine, is a melting pot of creeds and nationalities. Let us stand for Equality and Justice to all, in the standard upon which we have attained our present position.

Side by side throughout our nation's history, the Slav and the Latin, the Nordic and the Teuton, the Jew and the Gentile, men and women of every land and every creed, have worked to build and guard America.

The term "American" applies to every citizen, be he born or naturalized American. All are equal, be their skin dark or light, their accent broad or sharp, entitled to respect and fellowship as such so long as they as individuals observe our institutions and remain loyal and steadfast.

American "ISM" is the only "ISM" that this nation will tolerate, and it cannot be expressed by showing sympathy with or hatred toward any group. Any attempt, whether from within or without, our borders, to influence our emotions set creed against creed or race against race, or breed intolerance, hatred and strife should be met with sternness and whenever it shows itself.

You and I, as Americans, can safeguard the nation, and we alone for AMERICA is in the end but YOU and I.

With the "de-Anglicizing" of golfing expressions, golfers in Germany are asking whether they should change "Fore" to "Hail." Both Abbey in England has been attacked by the death-watch beetle and \$20,000 is needed to replace the timber damaged.

Following an all-star concert held in front of the flooded Paris Opera in Paris National Fire day being continued until nearly dawn. It has taken Scotland nearly 50 years to add a 1,000,000 to its population and 20 years to add 200,000.

AT THE CHURCHES

COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. M. C. Slavson, Pastor
 Church School 10:00—Promotion Day
 Morning Worship 11:00
 Young People's Service 7:00 p. m.
 Evening Worship 8:00.

Wednesday 8:00 p. m. Midweek prayer service. Bring your Bible. 8:30 Choir practice and sing. Next Sunday is Rally Day. So make plans now to attend this service. A cordial welcome is extended to all who are not attending other services.

CANAL POINT BAPTIST CHURCH

S. B. Jordan, Pastor
 Sunday School begins at 10:00 o'clock, with Rev. C. B. Jones, Supr.
 Promotion Day exercises this Sunday.

Preaching services begin at 11 o'clock. The pastor will preach this Sunday morning and each on this Sunday morning and each on this Sunday morning and each on this Sunday morning.

LAKE HARBOR COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. W. H. Hancock, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
 Junior Christian Endeavor 6:00 p. m.
 Senior Christian Endeavor 7:15 p. m.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

Commonly Called Mormons
 South Bay
 Sunday School at 10 a. m.
 Preaching Services at 7:30 p. m. Public invited. No collection.

L. D. S. SUNDAY SCHOOL

(South Bay)
 10 a. m. Sunday school, Melvin Herndon, superintendent.
 8:00 p. m. Evening service.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Belle Glade, Florida
 Wm. Marlon Stentel, Pastor.
 10 a. m.—Sunday school, Mr. H. E. Jones, superintendent.
 11 a. m.—Morning sermon by the pastor.
 6:30 p. m.—Baptist Training Union.
 7:30 p. m.—Evening sermon by the pastor.
 The public is cordially invited.

COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH

Belle Glade, Fla.
 J. O. Jameson, Pastor
 Church School 10:00 a. m.
 Morning worship 11:00.
 Epworth League 7:30 p. m.
 Ladies Aid 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Pahokee
 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.
 Junior society, 7 p. m.
 Young people's meeting, 7:30 p. m.
 4:00-wed prayer meeting Thursday, 8 p. m.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Pahokee, Florida
 Spencer F. Beard, Pastor
 Sunday school, all departments, 9:45.
 Sunday morning worship, 11 o'clock.
 Baptist Training Union, Sundays, 6:15 p. m.
 Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.
 Midweek Prayer services Wednesday, 8:00 p. m.
 A welcome is extended to all.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. Fred L. Martin, Pastor
 Pahokee, Florida
 Church school 9:45 a. m.
 Morning worship 11:00 a. m.
 Young people service 6:45 p. m.
 Intermediate service 6:45 p. m.
 Evening worship 7:30 p. m.
 Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Pahokee
 Mass and sermon Sunday 10:30 a. m., except last Sunday of month when services start at 8 a. m.
 Holy Name Sunday every second Sunday.
 Altar Society meets last Wednesday of month.
 Parish study club second Wednesday at Pahokee and last Wednesday at Belle Glade.
 Holy Days service, 9:30 a. m.

SOUTH BAY BAPTISTS

CALL REV. WILSON
 Mass and sermon Sunday 10:30 a. m., except last Sunday of month when services start at 8 a. m.
 Holy Name Sunday every second Sunday.
 Altar Society meets last Wednesday of month.
 Parish study club second Wednesday at Pahokee and last Wednesday at Belle Glade.
 Holy Days service, 9:30 a. m.

GOVERNOR CONE IS "TAKING THINGS EASY" FOLLOWING FAIR TRIP

Tallahassee, Fla., Sept. 21.—Gov. Fred P. Cone, who has remained at the executive mansion here for 10 days because of illness will not attend the Southern Governors' Conference at Birmingham.

Secretary Branch Cone said he expected the governor would return to his capital office this week. "He rode around in his car, Sunday," Branch Cone said.

The secretary and the governor "has not been seriously ill, but has just been taking things easy for a while."

Governor Cone went to New York three weeks ago for Florida week at the World's Fair. When he returned, he entered a Jacksonville hospital for three days of medical observation by Dr. Stanley Erwin, who attended him last year when he suffered a severe heart attack.

Florida's most sought after convention, the annual meeting of the Florida Education Association, will be held in Orlando, March 30 thru April 2, 1940.

Coast Line Wants Name For New Train

New York, Sept. 21.—A contest, seeking a name for the new streamlined train with which the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad and the Florida East Coast Railway will operate daily service between New York and Miami this winter, was announced today by the two railroads.

Prizes of \$500 were offered in the contest, with a first award of \$250. Second prize will be \$150, third prize \$75, and 25 other awards of \$5. The awards will be made on the basis of suitability of the name, together with the contestant's brief explanation of the name chosen by him.

The rules announced that the first prize would be awarded to the person submitting the best name, whether it is used for the train or not, together with the most appropriate reason for such a name. The second, third and other awards are to be made in the order of excellence, and may or may not be the same name as that used by the first prize winner.

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Agricultural leaders, business men and officials will take part in a state-wide tour beginning November 1st, to show results of past 2 years. The tour will start in Marion County in central Florida, coming down through Orange, Ocala, Polk, Highlands, Glades, Hendry, Charlotte, and DeSoto counties. The touring party will number close to one hundred. Extensive pasture development programs of last year will be depicted under the 1939 program.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL ITEMS

Pahokee and Canal Point

Garden Club Met Tuesday Afternoon

The Community Garden Circle held its first meeting of the season at the home of Mrs. Harley Williams in Pahokee, with Mrs. J. M. Elliott, co-hostess.

A short business meeting was held first, with Mrs. A. Hansen, president, presiding.

It was decided at this meeting that all members bringing guests to the meetings would pay a fee of twenty-five cents, and no member may have a guest as a guest to more than one meeting during the year.

Following the business meeting Mrs. W. P. Jennigan gave a most interesting account of the short course in "Garden Club Work" that she attended at Gainesville summer school in June. It was most interesting and all the members felt that they had missed something by not attending.

The first in a series of Botany Lectures was given by Mrs. H. L. Speer in her very capable manner. These are to be "ten minute" lectures during the entire season.

During the social half hour the hostess and co-hostess served refreshments of dainty little home made cakes and fruit punch. Those present were Mrs. J. W. Barrett, Mrs. Geo. Bell, Mrs. A. R. Chas. Main, Mrs. C. G. Coburn, Mrs. Robert Chamberlain, Mrs. T. M. Dechman, Mrs. J. A. Dulaney, Mrs. V. C. Denton, Mrs. J. M. Elliott, Mrs. A. W. Fowler, Mrs. A. Hansen, Mrs. W. P. Jennigan, Mrs. Earl Kolstad, Mrs. E. L. Page, Mrs. H. L. Speer, Mrs. G. B. Sartoris, Mrs. Frank Shaugnessy, Mrs. I. W. Weeks, Mrs. Ben Waring, Mrs. Harley Williams and Mrs. P. G. White.

Miss Ethel Mae Neal of Wauchoa is spending the week in Canal Point as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hardin.

Mrs. Abbie Woodward and children have moved to Pahokee from Belle Glade. Her daughter, Miss Maxine Woodward, is employed at the Pioneer Drug Store.

Cecil Gray has returned from a week's visit with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spencer, in Okeechobee.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hopferich and son, Michael, were called to Selving Saturday by the death of Mr. Hopferich's brother-in-law. They returned the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crosby visited friends in Fort Myers over the week end.

Mrs. R. P. Baker and son, Warren, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. J. C. Lacey, returned to Plant City Sunday after a visit here with Mrs. Baker's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Waring.

Mrs. Ike Jacobs, Mrs. C. R. Pincus and sister, Eunice, were returned from a visit with relatives in Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Thompson have returned to their home in St. Petersburg after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rawls.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Peeples and son, Jack, have gone to Wynona, La., to visit relatives.

L. L. Shirley and children, Lynn and Jimmy, visited Mr. and Mrs. James M. Boyd and family in Fort Myers over the week end. They were accompanied by Mrs. M. C. Spring, who was a guest of her brother, Hilton Hart.

Among those attending the singing convention at Lake Harbor Sunday from Pahokee, were Mrs. Arzella Garrett, Mrs. W. H. Kay, Mrs. S. Griger, Mrs. Mae Wilder, Mrs. Caudy Watson and Gene Butler.

Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Young, and daughter, Faith, have returned to their Port Mayaca home after a vacation.

Tom Nobles has returned to his home in Canal Point from Hot Springs, Ark., where he spent the summer at a sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dalton and children spent the week end in Clewiston as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Young.

Drivers Under 16 Years To Have Special Permit

Automobile drivers under 16 years old must secure special permits for driving automobiles after the first day of October, according to a ruling handed down by the department in charge of issuing driver's licenses. Children under 16, who desire licenses, must be accompanied to the sheriff's office in West Palm Beach where they will be examined before the permit is issued by the sheriff. The law provides rigid penalties for all who do not comply with the new enactment.

Not A Jones Listed In Pahokee Directory

There aren't many telephone directories published in America without at least one Jones family listed. The new Pahokee list is out and not a Jones is to be found. It might be interesting to many of the old timers to know that well over 200 names appear in the directory which serves Fort Mayaca, Canal Point, Pahokee and Cardwell.

New Bookkeeper With Power Company

Miss Elizabeth Wood of Canal Point has accepted a position in the bookkeeping department of the Florida Power and Light Company in Pahokee. During the past several months she had been an employee of the Prime Furniture company in Canal Point.

F.E.C. Resumes Its Winter Schedule

According to an announcement made this week by William Redick, Canal Point agent, the Florida East Coast railway will resume its regular winter schedule effective on Saturday, September 23, giving the Lake Okeechobee region train service seven days weekly.

Reception Planned For Teachers

The Parent-Teacher Association will hold an informal reception for all Pahokee school teachers in the high school auditorium Friday evening, September 22, beginning at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. H. L. Speer is general chairman in charge of arrangements. Other committee members are: The Rev. Fred L. Martin and Mrs. H. C. Graham, program; Mrs. Sam McKinstry, Sr., refreshments; W. H. Kendrick and Mrs. G. C. McLarty, decorations; and Mrs. C. A. Bailey, publicity.

Following the reception, refreshments will be served in the school cafeteria. All PTA members and parents of school children are invited to attend.

J. F. McLure To Open New Clewiston Store On Saturday, Sept. 30

J. F. McLure, owner and operator of the Western Auto Associate store in Pahokee, will open another store in Clewiston on Saturday, September 30, he announced this week. The new store will be located in the Hopkins building across the street from the post office in the Hendry county town. A full and complete line of automobile accessories will be carried in stock in the new store, Mr. McLure said.

Arundel Prepares For Arrival Of Dredges

The Arundel corporation, successful bidders on dike work at Lake Okeechobee, are building an office in Canal Point preparatory to carrying on their work of rebuilding the levee. The dredge which has arrived in the lake and was scheduled to go to work near Bacon Point. The dredge General will arrive on the job within the next few days where it will also be put to work on the levee contract.

Mark Wilcox May Run For Seat In Congress

J. Mark Wilcox, former congressman from the fourth congressional district and at present a practicing attorney in Miami, may make the race for a seat in congress in the forthcoming primaries. Mr. Wilcox has not made a formal announcement as yet but his friends in Palm Beach county believe that he will be a candidate.

State Funds Paid To County Systems

The State paid 81 per cent of its first month's school appropriation, falling short by a total of \$255,271. Of \$1,088,261 paid, the State derived \$515,000 from gross receipt taxes, \$487,388 from automobile licenses, \$40,013 from the 1-mil ad valorem tax and \$45,859 from interest on the school fund. State money helps pay teachers and bus drivers.

The license tag sales produces most of the school revenue, but the principal income from this source is not derived until December, at which time the State will be better prepared for like appropriations.

The 1939 Legislature directed that the monthly distribution be made two weeks early to help the counties pay salaries promptly. This year's school appropriation from the State is expected to be \$12,091,793.

Woodmen Officials Visit Local Lodge

At a special meeting of the Pahokee chapter of the Woodmen held Monday night two state officials were guests of the chapter. V. P. Miller, state manager of Lakeland, and George Pitts, colonel of the uniform rank of the state of Florida, were the visitors. Local officials of the Woodmen report an excellent turnout of local members for the meeting.

Merchants' Committee In Chamber of Commerce

At the Monday night meeting of the chamber of commerce in Pahokee President George Mead announced the appointment of a merchants' committee. On this new committee Mr. Mead named Victor Geiger, D. W. Cunningham, Joe Kahle, Claude Padgett and Frank Bass.

Bean Plantings On The Increase In The Glades

Bean planting goes steadily on in the Lake Okeechobee region. Last week it was possible to estimate the acreage planted up until that time. With planting going on in every section of the Glades agricultural area it is impossible to estimate acreage at this time. Seed houses and fertilizer men report a brisk business during the past few days.

Several hundred bushels of potatoes have been planted this week and this crop bids fair to be larger this fall than in years gone by. The largest potato acreage will be planted in the Belle Glade section, it is believed. Peppers, tomatoes and limas are coming in for their share of plantings. Several hundred acres have been planted to these different vegetables. Some growers are planning to pick a few beans in the next week or ten days. They must necessarily be sold on local markets to realize anything like a fair price for them.

Dwight Rogers May Run For Attorney General

Hon. Dwight L. Rogers, Fort Lauderdale attorney who has served several terms in the state legislature, may be a candidate for attorney general in the primary elections next spring, according to advisers reaching Lake Okeechobee from that Broward county city. Mr. Rogers is ably qualified for the office by seeks and has hundreds of friends in this section of Palm Beach county who will be pleased to know that he is offering for this place in state political circles.

County Grants 13 Old Age Assistance

The first old age assistance grants in several months took place by the regular meeting of District 10 Welfare Board, last Friday. 13 persons were granted assistance and 4 applications rejected.

Due to the limitation of State funds, these 4 applications could not be acted upon. Director L. R. Bristol reports this county now has 788 persons who receive a total of \$5,964 in old age pensions each month. The blind residents, numbering 59, are receiving \$677 monthly, and dependent children cases are paid a total of \$2,425 each month.

Mr. Bristol states that 10 persons in the county are now affected by the new Social Security Board ruling, which excludes those blind persons having 20-200 vision vision or better from the aid list.

Fire Prevention Week Set For October 8-14

Floridians, individually and collectively through their local Chambers of Commerce and other organizations, will observe "National Fire Prevention Week" from October 8th to 14th. It was announced by the president of the Florida State Chamber of Commerce, Harold Cole.

Belle Glade School Shows An Increase Over Previous Year

Steady Increase Is Shown In Belle Glade Enrollment

Showing an increase over last year Belle Glade schools got away to a good start on Monday morning of this week, according to an announcement by L. W. Bartlett, principal. Enrollment, so far eclipses that of last term by 14 students, Mr. Bartlett said. He pointed out that while the majority of local residents have returned from their vacations, there are always a number who come in later.

A teacher's meeting was held Monday afternoon to re-standardize the school and split the overflow grades.

The personnel of teachers is: Standard first grade, Miss Elizabeth Thompson; standard second grade, Mrs. Dorothy Lamb; How first and second, Miss Dorothy Scott; standard third grade, Mrs. Inez Dickinson; standard fourth grade, Mrs. Kathleen Conover; overflow third and fourth grades, Mrs. Evelyn Jordog; standard fifth grade, Mrs. Valera Richard; standard sixth grade, Mrs. Mildred Van der Sump; overflow fifth and sixth grades, Mrs. Herbert Beck; junior high, Mrs. Tommy Evans, Mrs. Mary E. Russell and Carl Thompson.

Mrs. Richard and Miss Russell will have charge of the publications. Mrs. Neil Johnwick will have charge of the music departments in Belle Glade and in South Bay.

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